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Wait not till death shall call her hence,
To know her precious worth.

Wait not till she lies cold and still,
Most beautiful, though dead,
To think of what you should have done,
Before her dear life fled.

Think how much she should be loved,
And prize her as you ought,
Or else your life when she is gone,
With sorrow shall be fraught.

Oh! watch her, guard her with your love,
While with you she is left,
For when she leaves you, life will seem
Of every joy bereft.

Oh! soothe her in her hours of pain,
Be gentle and be mild:
How sweet 'twill be for you to think,
"You've been a faithful child.

Earthquake Eloquence.

We observe that a correspondent of the Buffalo *Courier*, writing from Cincinnati, writes two or three paragraphs from the peroration of a speech delivered in this city, saying they were written by a Cincinnati editor. The lines are from the wind-up of a speech made here, at a political meeting in 1868, by Col. Carroll, a man well and favorably known throughout this portion of the State of Nevada. Colonel Carroll is a native of the Sunny South, is tall and erect as an Indian—a man of mild and benevolent aspect—and with his long snowy beard and white locks, that hang about his shoulders, he presents a most striking and patriarchal appearance. The Colonel, although a Southerner, swears by President Grant, and on the occasion in question had made a fiery speech in his favor and was about taking his seat when a fellow hanging upon the verge of the audience cried out: "It's easy talking, Colonel; but we'll show you something next fall!" Straightening up, tossing his white mane in the air and pointing his finger in the direction of the man who had assailed him, the Colonel burst forth as follows:

"Build a worm-fence around a winter's supply of summer weather; skim the clouds from the heavens with a teaspoon; catch a thunderbolt in a bladder; break a hurricane to harness; ground-sluice an earthquake; bake hell in an ice-house; lasso an avalanche; pin a diaper on the crater of an active volcano; hive all the stars in a nail-keg; hang the ocean out on a grape-vine to dry; put the sky to soak in a gourd; unbuckle the bellyband of eternity, and paste "To Let" on the sun and moon, but never, sir, never for a moment, sir, delude yourself with the idea that any ticket of your party can beat Grant!"

This was the Colonel's great peroration. Seen standing by itself it looks unnecessarily strong, but taken in connection with what preceded it, could we give the speech, it would be seen that the Colonel merely rose slightly in his stirrups in striking his last blow.—*Virginia City Enterprise.*

Defense of the Scissors Editor.

The scissors editor of a newspaper is commonly the butt for many jokes, but a contemporary comes boldly to the rescue of these undervalued students of literature. It says: "Some people estimate the ability of the newspaper and the talent of the editor by the quantity of the original matter. It is comparatively an easy matter for a frothy writer to pour out daily a column of words—words upon any and all subjects. His ideas may flow in one weak, washy, everlasting flood, and his command of language may enable him to string them together like bunches of onions, and yet his paper may be a meager and poor concern. Indeed, the mere writing part of editing a paper is but a small portion of the work. The care, the time employed in selecting, is far more important, and the tact of a good editor is better shown by his selections than anything else; and that, we know, is half the battle. But, as we have said, an editor ought to be estimated, and his labor understood and appreciated, by the general conduct of his paper, its aims, its management, its dignity, and propriety. To preserve these as they should be preserved is enough to occupy fully the time and attention of any man. If to this be added the general supervision of the newspaper establishment, which most editors have to encounter, the wonder is how they find time to write at all.—*Exchange.*

"If I wasn't a Frenchman I'd be an Englishman," says polite Johnny Crapaud. "And if I wasn't an Englishman I'd be an Englishman," responds bluff Johnny Bull.

A Memphis man looks mournfully into the depths of the Mississippi after his few acres of land, his stable and pet mule, which slid away the other night.

—There is nothing that will change the expression of a person's face so much as his attempt to extricate a piece of toothpick from between the molars of his upper jaw.

—When a prisoner gets tired of staying around the Florida State Prison he walks off home, has a visit and returns again.

A Nephew of Daniel Webster.

Samuel Bushnell, of Troy, is reported to be a nephew of Daniel Webster, and a miser. He is a rag-picker, and lives principally from drink, when he can get the drink for nothing. "He is passionately fond of money," says an account in the *Press*, "but when he gets any it is never more seen. Old Sam won't spend a cent either for food, drink, raiment, or anything, consequently he will drink any kind of liquor, and of course his clothes are not always, if ever, made to order. He sleeps at nights about cellars or barns in the neighborhood of the Eddy steamer house; but no one can find out where he keeps his money. He does not carry it upon his person. He knows better than that, he says. It is estimated that he is worth at least $10,000. He owned at one time a house in North First street alley, between Rensselaer and North streets. In this building he used to store away his rags and sleep at night. Some persons set fire to the building one afternoon about six years ago, and burnt up most of the rags and $3,000 in gold, and nearly roasted the old man alive. Since then he has refused to be comforted, and cannot forgive his persecutors. He swears at these incendiaries constantly, either when walking alone or when speaking to anybody. Regarding his relationship to Daniel Webster, he used to visit him frequently, he says, in Washington and Boston, where he has dined with Clay, Calhoun, Governor Marston of Massachusetts, Haines, and others. At times he attempts to relate his conversation with them. At this period Sam was a cattle dealer in the South. Bushnell is seventy-two years of age, having been born in the year 1802, in the State of Vermont."

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RETROSPECTIVE.

In regard to the attempt of Mr. Jordan to get the Council to modify the sewer contract, so as to admit of a great change in the character of the lumber to be used, it will be remembered that Councilman Spaulding proposed to accede to his wishes, in which move Mr. S. was seconded by Councilman Knox. Now, the question arises—why did these gentlemen seem to really desire said modification whereby the contractor might have gone on at once with the work, and with a difference in his favor in the price of lumber of many thousands of dollars? The time is now past when the contractor should have made some definite sign to the public whether he meant business or not, yet we have only heard a mere rumor about his looking up a place to make brick. This brick story will do to tell the marines. But as for the lumber question, there is something tangible about it, and for the present Messrs. Spaulding and Knox are left in a somewhat painful predicament first and last. Perhaps they will rise and explain.

There is a little question of favoritism—a nice mutual admiration, family sort of arrangement not generally understood perhaps; not as fully laid bare as the importance of the subject demands. Without some special explanation, it might escape the memory of a goodly number of people in this tax-ridden city. The adhesive power of public pap is too well known to need any analysis here. The city printing, however, should not be forgotten in connection with the feeding of the prisoners. The relationship of the *News* and *Transcript* to that item, before the advent of the TRIBUNE upon the scene, is of course too well known; but the family ties existing between Councilman Spaulding and the Chief of Police, may not be generally understood. The item involved in this last condition, is only secondary to that of the printing, and it was like pulling teeth to the gentleman in question. We do not blame the Chief of Police particularly. So long as the Council saw fit to conduct the government like the Dutchman kept tavern, he would have been a fool as the world goes, not to have kept his platter right side up.

It was a significant and also humiliating remark, that dropped by the editor of the *News* for the consolation of the Captain, subsequently to the introduction of Councilman Mason's resolution to let the food supply to the lowest bidder. The editor is nothing without being prophetic, and we give him the benefit of his "I told you so." Said he, on that interesting occasion, "I told you that you would go next—we would all go down together," or words to that effect. Admitting point blank that there has existed here in Oakland—this city of boasted intelligence—a long-time ring, a regular barnacle fastened and fattening on the municipal government, shielded and shared by the public press, to the last dying moment. Yes; we told you (privately) that when we went you would go! The Captain ought to have anticipated the new order of things, by telling the Council to provide some other way of feeding the drunks. It looks just a little like a rebuke. So far as his family friend in the Council is concerned, he is too deep to appreciate a joke at best. The dear deluded people are gradually beginning to see it, however.

WERE the University Regents possessed of any foresight as a body, they would throw open their doors before they are kicked out body and breeches. They are doubtless entitled to executive sessions, just as the Senate of the United States, when the personal character and qualifications of a nominee for office are to be discussed, but when it comes to keeping the entire business of the meetings from the public; when the Secretary has the dealing out of just such information as they may see fit to give him, the subject assumes such a phase as to demand the united attention of the press of the State.

—A Toledo man, one hundred and ten years old, claims to have been a pet of General Washington. He still points with pride to the prints of George's boot-toes on his body.

CHANGES IN THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

We read over the proposed ordinance remodeling the Fire Department, yesterday afternoon, and in the evening happening to meet the author of it—Councilman Everson—talked the matter over again, for the purpose of getting a definite idea of what changes are to really occur.

We came to the conclusion that it chiefly amounts to this—that the present organization has failed to render the stearners only partially effective; in short, that they have been but a sort of elephant or fifth wheel to a coach. A part of the officers and men get pay, and those who do the rough work at a fire, get nothing. It reminds us of the Irishman carrying the mortar. To remedy this unsatisfactory condition of things, it is determined to make the Felton and Phenix steamer companies entirely a paid department. Besides the engineer, stoker and driver to each engine, there will be six extra men called hosemen, and these will be paid a monthly salary, which will be fixed by the Council. This ought to insure a strong and always reliable aid in quenching fires.

The new ordinance will make another change of importance—will place the whole management of the department practically in the hands of the Council and Chief Engineer. This will do away with much red tape, and the people will always know just who is responsible for any inefficiency in the department.

The Hook and Ladder and Hand Engine companies will go on about as they are. They will consist of seventy members each, all over twenty-one years of age, and all must be legal voters.

These are the more distinctive changes proposed, and we believe they will meet the approval of the community, which is quite out of patience with the present weakness and inefficiency of the department. Once those two steamers are made thoroughly effective, the bulk of the trouble will have been overcome. The Hook and Ladder and Hand Engine companies must not expect general pay at this stage of the city's existence; they will come in by and by. It is only hoped to pay for these steamers by cutting down expenses in other departments of the city government. The city owns these steam machines, and it is but proper that they be made something more than an ornament.

OUR retrospective observations elsewhere do not include the curious action of Councilman Spaulding in the council meeting Monday night. We refer to a communication of McFadden & Myles respecting their bid for the sewer contract. They wished to withdraw that document, as if it were of any apparent consequence after the contract had been let and signed at least a month. There was a suspicious air about the matter on Monday night that will perhaps require a little further looking into. Mr. Spaulding seemed very anxious to receive that communication. A member of the Council said of Jordan's appearance the evening Spaulding wanted to relieve him of his knot-hole difficulty, that it was an insult, but that body was incapable of understanding an insult. The action of those other would-be contractors Monday night, was little less. The communication was tabled.

Speak peace to the love that is clinging
In silence apart;
Let hope like an angle keep singing
Her song in my heart.

And it is from the (San Jose) five gallon paper. Perhaps it is a "geometric angle" that is intended by the author of this "Comedy Divine"; or some luckless compositor, beer-enthused and dozing over his copy, may have left the "worm" out of its apparent place just after the angle; or perhaps this wierd invocation had reference to one of those beautiful creations of the imagination, to-wit and sidelieot, an "angel."

THOSE firemen who have served the city as faithfully as the circumstances would permit, and who will be legislated out of their places under the proposed ordinance, will be entitled to their exemption papers, and should petition the council to that effect. The payment of poll tax and the right to sit on juries, will devolve upon them, unless specially provided for, as suggested. The Council will not convene again before Monday week, and there will be time enough to attend to the matter.

THE Supreme Court of this State partakes of Judge Dwinelle's District concern somewhat. The case of Fourteenth street, between Broadway and Franklin street, has been pending in that Superior red-tape mill for eighteen months. In the meantime a couple of shanties, occupied by a marble works and seed store, block up the street in a disgusting way.

—A little boy in Grand Junction, Iowa, has a pet skunk, which he fondles as he would a kitten.

THE UNIVERSITY TROUBLES.

The *Post* has stirred up quite a little tempest over the late action of the Regents, respecting the Agricultural Department. Whether the disturbance will prove anything more than of teapot significance, remains to be seen. We are disposed to give the views of that enterprising journal, more because of their local interest in these parts, than that we fear the Regents will try to butt the bull off the track, or vice versa.

The Mechanic's State Council have taken cognizance of the matter, and as that class of persons have about as much serious interest in the welfare of the University, as the Regents, or anybody else, we herewith publish the result of their meeting of July 24th, as follows:

WHEREAS, The Government of the United States has given millions of dollars to the several States with a view to encouraging agriculture and mechanic arts, as well as College of Letters: and, Whereas, The tendency among the Regents of our University is to ignore agriculture and mechanical colleges, and make those branches subordinate; therefore

Resolved, That a standing committee of three be appointed to collect facts and figures in relation to our State University, and prepare them for publication in pamphlet form, to be laid before the next Legislature, with such recommendations as this Council may adopt; and that the committee be authorized to act in concert with any similar body of the Grangers.

Those Regents who fancy that their every action in connection with that important institution will not be watched and noted by the most powerful classes of the State, greatly mistake themselves, and were this body to conduct their deliberations in a less sneaking way—give the public an opportunity to judge of their motives by their actions open and above board, perhaps a deal of the prevailing distrust and anxiety constantly indulged, would be discovered as having but trifling insignificance. The people will not be satisfied with this Star Chamber business, and if it is allowed to prevail much longer, the University will as surely undergo a complete reconstruction of government, as the sun rises and sets.

HENRY QUARLES, formerly connected with the Oakland press, but recently editor of the Virginia City *Independent*, has severed his connection with that paper. Mr. Quarles is a forcible and able writer, and in the campaign in this county last fall he did effective service. We hope to hear from him in some new journalistic field soon. The talents which he possesses are always in demand.

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Just this Once.

Dennis Jordan fell into a sewer over here, and though not hurt much, he came out of it *not whole* (knot-hole).

County School Report.

Superintendent Lynch is busy reporting to the State Superintendent. He was at the City Hall to-day collecting points.

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To purchase Real Estate, can get some splendid bargains by calling immediately at E. J. Kelly's Real Estate Office, 414 Seventh street, Oakland.

Getting Thin.

The "city official paper" has dispensed with its editorial writer, and devotes itself entirely to news. So much scouring for items has reduced its staff to a very thin condition.

Serenaded.

The wandering band of German musicians mentioned a week or two ago, have been doing the town to-day. We are in doubt whether they meant it for the TRIBUNE, Brother Benton or Mrs. Gordon. It was cheerful, anyhow.

Sunday Mail.

We hear it from good authority, that the TRIBUNE advocacy of a local Sunday mail between Oakland and San Francisco, is about to be seconded by the establishment of a much needed accommodation at the very early day.

Blethen & Terry.

This is the firm name of the proprietors of the Pioneer Planing Mill, on First street, near Broadway. Anything in the line of dressed lumber can be had at the Pioneer Mills—mouldings, sash, flooring, door, etc. Carpenters and contractors, leave orders at the Pioneer Mills.

Social Club Tonight.

There will be another of those enjoyable re-unions of the Live Oak Social Club at the Academy of Music this evening. The dancing lasts from 8 till 10 o'clock. Guests of the members admitted for fifty cents each. We know of no better place to spend a few hours than with the club.

Court House Materials.

Contractor Babcock is having lumber piled up on Court House Square, and that part of town is taking on unlimited business airs. It will require about three million five hundred thousand bricks and half a million feet of lumber to construct the buildings on the plaza. The lumber in question will stand the test.

Police Court.

John Dean, about, sixty-five in the shade, was fined eight dollars to-day for being drunk. It is a case of "rum's doings"—see *Post*.

Frank Dow was arrested on suspicion—so the book states in the Captain's office.

The insane man wonders why he is kept there yet. There are others anxious to know what it means. Perhaps Judge Nye can tell?

Temperance Alliance.

The "organ" says that Judge Chamberlain and "Hellfire Jack" formerly of New Zealand, will address the Temperance Alliance this evening at the First Presbyterian Church. We have been requested to ask "Hellfire" to take this occasion to explain certain matters heretofore alluded to in these columns; and also to tell what he knows about tallow. How many pounds of "ball butter" can be made from *two barrels?* Also, if the failure of a certain boat club in San Francisco to attend the recent regatta at Saratoga was occasioned by the loss of the company funds? Answers to these conundrums will be anxiously looked for. There is no more appropriate place for an "open confession" than from the pulpit of an orthodox church.

OUR MERCANTILE BUSINESS.

The Dry Goods Houses of Greenhood Brothers.

Chief among the commercial interests of a town is its dry goods trade. Upon this, to a greater or less degree, depends a city's prosperity. If no mercantile business is done in a place, it is of little importance, indeed. Oakland has had the immense dry goods houses of San Francisco to contend against since it is a city. The people of Oakland early acquired the habit of going to San Francisco to make their purchases in this line, and, consequently, our local merchants had an up-hill time of it for many years. But, as the city grew in size and importance, our Broadway dry goods men gradually surmounted the obstacles that were thrown in the way, and, by dint of extraordinary effort and assiduous labor in honest business rivalry, they established a home trade which gave the business permanency and stability, and which has, to a great extent, controlled the home trade and kept it on this side of the bay. They were content with small profits, and kept a good class of goods, which they could sell at as low prices as the San Francisco merchants; hence the good result to which we have referred. The ladies of Oakland now prefer to spend their money at home, where their husbands and fathers earn it, rather than carry it across the bay.

Most of this favorable change in the Dry Goods business of Oakland has been effected by the

GREENHOOD BROTHERS,

A trio of active business men, who started in with a determination to establish a home dry goods trade, and who have succeeded in effecting their object. They have two large stores in Oakland—the up-town store being managed by Mr. J. Greenhood, the elder brother, and the down-town store by the Greenhood Brothers. It is of the latter store, located at the corner of Broadway and Eighth street, that we wish especially to speak.

Passing along by this store a day or two ago we observed the place absolutely swarming with Oakland's fairest women, and the dozen of clerks inside as busy as men could be, waiting on them. We observed, also, that the general appearance of the store, its surroundings inside and outside bore a different air than usually. Piled up in huge masses about the entrance to the store were calicoes, muslins, flannels and linens, of every shade of color and style of figure. Boxes of unopened goods were still on the curbstone, where they had just been dumped by the expressmen. Inside was a living, moving mass of men, women, children and baby-wagons; around, above, beneath, and on all sides were goods in endless profusion.

We had the curiosity to learn more of the cause of this exciting scene, and we entered the store. But we could only look on in silent wonder and amazement. We said nothing, but heard a great deal. Here a handsome lady was examining a bolt of fine bleached muslin, and asking the pleasant-faced clerk the price; "ten cents," was the reply. "Is that all," the lady would say; "I'll take ten yards." There another lady was manipulating some American prints. "What is the price?" "Only eight cents." "Astonishing! cut me twenty yards." Another handsome clerk was selling a lady silk striped grenadines at ten cents; another grass cloths at 12½; dress linen at 22½; white or red flannel, all wool, for 25 cents; doeskin glove gauntlets at $1 00, black silk at $1 25, and so on, till nothing was heard but exclamations of astonishment and surprise at the remarkably low prices of all the goods in the place. We left the store, and after business hours took occasion to enquire of Mr. Greenhood the reasons for selling off his goods at such sacrificing rates, and he proceeded to explain to us that they are cleaning out the premises for the next thirty days, to make room for the immense stock ordered from the East and Europe, and this is the cause of their marking the goods down so low.

It was a matter of so much interest to the people of Oakland generally and the ladies in particular, that we felt it our duty to inform those who have not heard it, of this fact, that they may avail themselves of the occasion to make their purchases while this clearance sale is in progress.

Out of Luck.

Mr. Creal, of whom the TRIBUNE spoke in connection with a flying machine, had another mishap this morning. Ten days ago he attempted to put his machine to practice, but the weather was so blustery as to render the experiment impossible. The balloon part of it was filled this morning early, from a gas main at the crossing of Twelfth and Grove streets, but when he came to attach the regulating or flying apparatus so-called, it was found to be of so crude a construction as to involve a thorough overhauling, and in attempting to use it he broke it badly. He has demonstrated one point, that so delicate an undertaking requires the most finely adjusted apparatus. These conditions afforded, and the principle can be finally tested, and not before. It is an unfortunate, to say nothing of disagreeable delay. The public is utterly impatient—unreasonably so in such cases. Mr. C. is out considerable time and money, only to be laughed at as the world goes. All great inventions have fared the same way.

West Point Aspirant.

Congressman Page, with the assistance of Prof. Soule, examined a young man by the name of Pierson last night at the Grand Central hotel, on the West Point question. The aspirant for the honors of that institution is from Placerville—the home of Mr. Page. The boy is of Scotch family. We have not heard the result.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

Lively Scene in a Justice's Court.

It was too late yesterday to give our readers the conclusion of the case wherein Sallie Hart attempted to convict J. Hyland of cruelty to animals. Two juries have failed to agree, and it is not likely any further attempt will be made on the part of any to reopen the case.

The second trial—that of yesterday—was chiefly interesting, as it concerned the respective attorneys—Messrs. Montgomery and Foot, and the plaintiff. The former took special occasion to go for Miss Hart's scalp, methaphorically speaking, and the result would seem to prove that she had got her Foote in it somewhat. The two attorneys became very warm over that scalp, so much so that the owner thereof left the scene in disgust. This is the third time our fair enthusiast has been driven from the field—San Jose, Alameda and Oakland. She had our sympathy to a great degree in this last fight, though we were in doubt as to the result.

Let the good lady go after the city government on the cruelty to dogs question. Arrest the poundmaster and his assistants, and make them tell what they know about playing a game of base-ball with the heads of poodles, pointers and the rest. The President of the society is also Mayor. Let her arrest him as an accomplice in crime.

Bad Little Boys!

There are bad little boys to be found in almost every town. There are a great many bad little boys in Oakland—at least Uncle Billy says there are, and our own observations lead us to the belief that he is more than half right about it. These bad little boys steal rides on the local trains, smoke cigaritos, go in swimming in Lake Merritt five or six times a day, and have their hair trimmed so short that their heads look like door knobs. Still we don't think that they are so bad as the little boys of St. Joseph, if the following description of them is correct and truthful:

'Tis a pitiful tale of woes of
The elegant belles and the beaux of
The people who visit St. Joseph.
They blush like the rose at the rows of
White, stark naked bodies of those of
The shameless young lads of St. Joseph
Who bathe wherethe clear water flows of
The beautiful river of St. Joseph.
I'll be frank, and I'll not try to gloss of
An evil that steadily grows of
This wickedest one of the shows of
This saintly old town of St. Joseph.
These swimmers, say they, are the foes of
The morals and peace and repose of
The respectable town of St. Joseph.
They should wash themselves off with a hose of
A hydrant, or we will suppose of
A pump. "Not that any one knows of"
Reply these bad boys of St. Joseph.
And straightway each one of them throws off
His waist-strap, and strips all his clothes off
And dives into the river St. Joseph,
In spite of the "ohs" and the "ahs" of
Eight under the eyes and the nose of
The good folks who visit St. Joseph;
These shameless young lads of St. Joseph!

The S. P. T. P. O. C. T. A.

Whether the influence of the world-renowned Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, whose head-centre is in Oakland and whose chief is our worthy Mayor, has extended to the Orient or not, is not yet decided, but sure it is the Pasha of Egypt has placed himself at the head of the anti-cruelty to animals association in the East, and has practically exhibited the earnestness of his sympathy by presenting the Society with money, by giving them one of his palaces in Grand Cairo as their headquarters, and by issuing orders for the punishment of those who may be guilty of cruelty to animals. The general object of the law as it exists in this and other States of the Union, and of the similar laws in other countries, of course is a good one, and is endorsed and encouraged by every pure-minded and philanthropic man; but our local society needs to manifest a little more care and judiciousness in the exercise of its authority, and turn its attention to actual, and not supposed, cruelty. The case of the City Pound is one in point. Go for that abominable disgrace, ladies and gentlemen, and this community will extol you, and your fame will become as universal as that of the Pasha of Egypt.

Badger's Park.

The programme at Badger's Park for Sunday next is huge. The Captain has engaged the services of several celebrated gymnasts and trapeze performers, who will entertain the public in the Park on Sunday. Among them are: Laura and the intrepid Harry Clark, the man with the iron jaw, and Herr Schlamm, the great magician, who will give an extended and varied programme, including the wonderful Holtum cannon act, in which he will catch a solid iron ball fired from a cannon. Freeman's band will furnish the music. From present indications there will be the finest time at this popular place of resort, on Sunday next, that the present season has afforded. Oakland will be there in force. The low price of admission, twenty-five cents, will prevent none from being on hand. Children are admitted at half price.

Letter Delivery.

Any person desiring to have their mail matter delivered at their residences will be promptly served twice a day at twenty-five cents a month, *after the 1st of August.* Leave orders in letter box, in Post-office hall. Parties wishing their letters delivered should request their friends to write the number of residence and name of street on the envelopes, to avoid delays and mistakes.

Murder and Suicide

And all such sensational stuff don't attract people any more; the only topic now is, how can Harris Bros., sell their splendid suits so cheap. They do it, anyhow.

Twin Sisters' Concert.

The complimentary benefit tendered those sweet little vocalists, Jessie and Kittie Morse, will take place this evening at Brayton Hall. The Twin Sisters are but twelve years of age, but their rich soprano and alto voices have been finely cultivated, and one to hear their clear ringing notes would suppose them to have matured voices of double their years. A number of musical artists from San Francisco have volunteered, and our citizens may expect to-night a rich musical treat.

Geological Recreation.

The Professors of the University are not disposed to play the boy during vacation. Soule is conducting a surveying scheme on the grounds of the institution, in the interests of the water supply. Joseph LeConte is packing up for an expedition into the mountains to study the geological history of the State. He is an enthusiastic worker in whatever he undertakes, and the result of his researches will possess anything but a dull flavor.

City Equalization.

The Board to equalize city assessments will convene on the second Monday in August. The Board is a big thing when all assembled, beginning with Mayor, including City Marshal, police force, Board of Education, three school-marms—and Joe Dillon.

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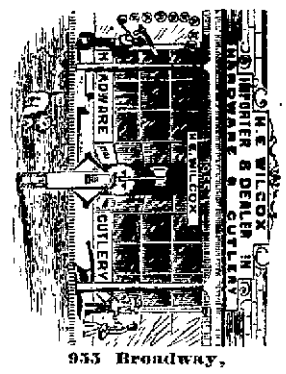

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